



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Hiroaki INOUE et al.

Serial No. 09/880,005

Filed June 14, 2001

ELECTROLESS PLATING LIQUID AND  
SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE

:  
: Docket No. 2001\_0756A

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**REPLY TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF  
NON-PROVISIONAL APPLICATION**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents,  
Washington, D.C.

Sir:

In response to the PTO Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application, the following items are enclosed:

1. an English translation of the application, the \$130.00 PTO fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(i), and a statement that the translation is accurate;
2. substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84; and
3. an executed declaration identifying the application by Title and Filing Date, and the PTO surcharge of \$130.00 as set forth in 37 C.F.R. 1.16(e).

Respectfully submitted,

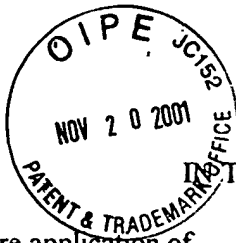
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PATENT OFFICE FEE TRANSMITTAL FORM

Assistant Commissioner for Patents,  
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

Attached hereto is a check in the amount of \$676.00 to cover Patent Office fees relating to filing the following attached papers:

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| Late filing of executed Declaration ..... | <u>\$130.00</u>   |
| Verified English translation .....        | <u>\$130.00</u>   |
| Petition for Extension of Time .....      | <u>\$110.00</u> ✓ |
| Additional Claims Fee .....               | <u>\$306.00</u>   |

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Respectfully submitted,

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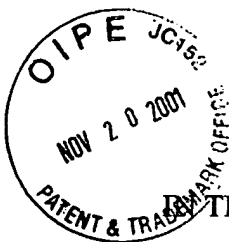
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**ADDITIONAL CLAIMS FEE TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents,  
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application. Additional fees required as a result of this Amendment are calculated as follows:

|  | SMALL ENTITY |    | LARGE ENTITY      |
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| Total Claims exceeding 20<br>(not already paid for): 3 x                                 | (\$ 9 = \$)  | or | (\$18 = \$54.00)  |
| Indep. Claims exceeding 3<br>(not already paid for): 3 x                                 | (\$42 = \$)  | or | (\$84 = \$252.00) |
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- ☐ Small entity status of this application is established by the verified statement under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 which
- ☐ is enclosed or
- ☐ has been previously submitted.
- ☒ A check in the amount of \$306.00 is enclosed.

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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

*Filing Date Granted*

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The application was filed in a language other than English. Applicant is required to provide an English translation of the specification and a statement that the translation is accurate. (See 37 CFR 1.52(d)).
- Applicant must file an English translation of the application, the \$ 130 fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(i), unless previously submitted, and a statement that the translation is accurate (37 CFR 1.52(d)).
- **The balance due by applicant is \$ 260.**
- Because your specification was filed in a language other than English, the Office was unable to determine the number of claims submitted. Additional claim fees may be due once the number of claims can be determined.

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
  - drawing figures contain text that is not in English (including, for example, a flow chart that was originally not in English that has been marked up to include the English text) see 37 CFR 1.84(p)(2) and 37 CFR 1.52(d)(1);

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